

Request for City Council Committee Action from the Department of Civil Rights/CRA

Date: May 16, 2012

To: Council Member Don Samuels, Chair - Public Safety, Civil Rights & Health (PSC&H)

Committee

Subject: Minneapolis Civilian Police Review Authority 2012 First Quarter Report

Recommendation: The Minneapolis Department of Civil Rights, on behalf of the Civilian Police Review Authority, respectfully requests that the City Council receive, file and approve its 2012 First Quarter Report.

Previous Directives:

None

Department Information

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Community Impact

None

Supporting Information: Minneapolis Civilian Police Review Authority Quarterly Report for the period January – March 2012.

Report Highlights

Overview of CRA Complaints

- Received 93 initial complaints
- Closed 62 percent of the initial complaints received during the fourth quarter
- Received 10 signed complaints
- Excessive Force allegations accounted for 14% percent of allegations received
- First Precinct received the most complaints
- Ward 6 and Ward 7 received the most complaints
- Blacks filed the most complaints

MPD Discipline Highlights

The Chief imposed a 10-hour suspension during the quarter.